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NOTICE OF APPEAL FROM THE PRIMARY EXAMINER  
TO THE BOARD OF PATENT APPEALS AND INTERFERENCES

In re Application of David COMINGS, et al.

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For: METHODS FOR PREDICTING SURVIVAL RATE IN PATIENTS HAVING  
MULTIPLE SCLEROSIS

Group Art Unit: 1634

Examiner: Stephen Thomas Kapushoc

Confirmation No.: 3705

Applicant hereby appeals to the Board of Patent Appeals and Interferences from the decision of the Examiner dated October 11, 2006 rejecting the following claims: 1, 4, 7, and 8.

The fee for this Notice of Appeal is \$250.00

An extension of time is requested for three months. The required fee for this extension of time is \$510.00.

The Commissioner is authorized to charge the required fees to Deposit Account No. 02-2135. An additional copy of this Notice is enclosed herewith.

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